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I am writing to inform Congress of my opposition to HR 4026. Regular radio offers too much "NOISE" in the form of advertisements (that are often offensive as they target demographic stereotypes). Adults should be able to dictate what we want or don't want to listen to. The government should not choose PARENT adults (most XM radios are in vehicles and the listeners are vehicle owners/users, thereby adult). I don't need the government rushing to my rescue regarding music choices. If however, you can do something about regulating the high cost gasoline -- please do so.

I feel secure having access to traffic and weather information in the same place (on a specific station or channel no matter where I am). One knows exactly where to turn while driving from place to place. Since one does not have to know the respective stations or channels in each and every city, state or county they may ride through or visit the possibility of missing relevant and/or important information when traveling is alleviated.

Finally, I feel that the government should partner with XM and consider broadcasting their own information in the event of any "REAL" national alerts or present disasters!